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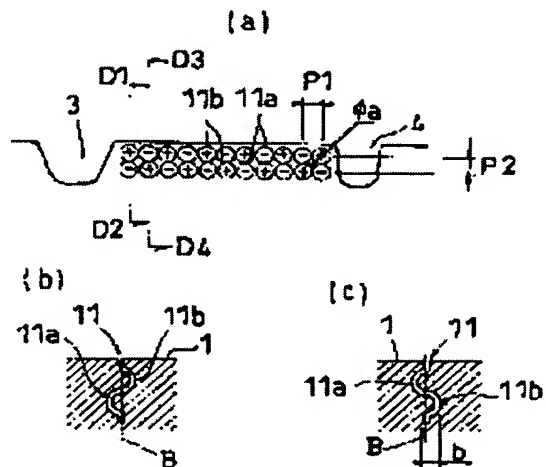
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(54) PNEUMATIC TIRE

(57) Abstract:

PROBLEM TO BE SOLVED: To provide a pneumatic tire improvable in driving stability while reducing noise from the middle stage of wear onward by suppressing the partial wear of a land part adjacent to a sipe provided at a rib.

SOLUTION: In this pneumatic tire provided with a tread pattern having the rib 1 continuous on the whole periphery of the tire through a plurality of sipes 11, the sipe 11 has a reference face B in the width direction or oblique direction of the tire, and a recessed part 11a and a projecting part 11b respectively projected onto the opposite sides with respect to the reference face B.



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